

## 1,224 RESCUED AFTER LINER GOES DOWN

## MILO EGgers IN SEATTLE AGAIN IS IN CUSTODY

He, His Wife and Sister and Three Others Questioned About Safe Robberies

Police Say They Saw Women in Auto While Theatre Safe Was Being Attacked

Seattle, Oct. 26.—Milo Eggers, acquitted several weeks ago in Victoria, B.C., of liquor piracy charges, his wife, Dorothy, a woman said by police to be his sister, Mrs. Erna Brown, two other men and a woman, were arrested by police detectives here early today for questioning in connection with a series of safe robberies.

Four detectives planted themselves outside an apartment house here last night after locating a small automobile seen by police in front of the Bagdad Theatre early last Monday morning shortly before it was discovered that no safe had been made to drill the theatre safe.

The automobile is said to have been registered under the name of Erna Brown.

**WOMEN IDENTIFIED**

Police Sergeant N. C. McLennan and Patrolman McMillan are said to have identified Mrs. Eggers as one of the women they had spoken to in the car in front of the theatre. The woman said to be Mrs. Erna Brown, who gave the name of Mrs. P. K. Kelly when arrested to-day, is described by the officers to have been the other woman in the car.

**ESCAPE DESCRIBED**

While the two officers were conversing with women they are said to have blown the automobile horn and three men rushed out of the theatre and leaped into the car as it dashed away before the astonished policemen could act. The policemen fired a number of shots, none of which took effect. They then entered the theatre and found the safe drilled.

The detective to-day arrested Geo. Graham, a woman who

had given her name as "Mrs. Mary Wilson," and Mrs. W. H. Sutherland, who

P. K. Kelly and "Mrs. P. K. Kelly," outside the Eggers apartment. Later they entered the apartment and arrested Milo Eggers and his wife.

**FOUR OTHER ROBBERIES**

Four other safe robberies were reported to the police Monday, and efforts are being made to connect them with the attempted robbery of the theatre's strongbox.

The police found a quantity of red pepper and spirits of ammonia in the car they seized as belonging to Mrs. Erna Brown. No firearms were found.

**SAN FRANCISCO AFFAIR**

Captain of police, detectives W. N. Kenney, and the finding of the pepper and ammonia was significant inasmuch as pepper and ammonia were used in the escape of Milo Eggers from the custody of a United States marshal at San Francisco two years ago. Milo Eggers was killed in the affair. The Eggers brothers were arrested on a run-away charge.

**SCHWARTZBARD IS ACQUITTED**

Paris, Oct. 26.—Samuel Schwartzbard, young Jewish watchmaker, who assassinated General Simon Petlura, Ukrainian separatist leader, last year "to avenge the Ukrainian pogroms," was acquitted here late to-day.

**Ten Bandits in Russia Executed**

Moscow, Oct. 26.—Ten men, members of a group of bandits which had been taken to Moscow in a need for a long time, were executed this morning. The men were convicted of having held up trains and banks and murdered several officials. They were captured by secret police.

**LEADER ELECTED**

Vancouver, Oct. 26.—S. A. Moore was elected president of Division 1, Vancouver Liberal Association, last night.

**Chamber of Commerce Membership Meeting Called for Friday**

Members and directors of the Chamber of Commerce are invited to a general membership luncheon meeting called for Friday by the industrial group. John Moore of Bradford, England, will speak on leading phases of the proposed worsted mill industry.

An unusual opportunity is now afforded to hear the proposals presented in the luncheon meeting by George J. Warren, managing secretary of the Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Moore comes to Victoria at the invitation of the Agent-General in London. A man of long experience in the woollen industry, he is in a position to deal with his subject in a practical and interesting way.

Members are invited to bring friends with them on this occasion.

**TWO OF THE LEADERS IN NEW THRONE CONTEST IN ROUMANIA**



PREMIER ION BRATIANO

GENERAL AVERESCU

## MEASURES AGAINST CAROL'S ARRIVAL IN ROUMANIA BY PLANE

Bratiano Government Has Borders Guarded by Bodies of Troops

Ministry Firmly Resolved Ex-Crown Prince Will Not Seize Throne

London, Oct. 26.—The preparations of Premier Bratiano of Roumania to thwart any possible attempt of former Crown Prince Carol to seize the throne from his six-year-old son, King Michael, are the most thorough possible, say reports reaching here.

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Troops were ordered to occupy all Government buildings, carrying out the state of martial law proclaimed throughout the country. Upon discovery of the plot to restore former Crown Prince Carol to the throne, he who renounced in 1925 when he eloped with Magda Lupescu.

**BITTER CONTEST**

The country is seething with excitement as the Government and Opposition parties line up for what is expected to be a bitter contest for supremacy. Premier Bratiano to-morrow will demand from all political groups in the government a declaration of their attitude toward the present situation.

The Opposition leaders have summoned their members to appear in full strength. The People's Party, of which M. Manolescu, whose arrest led to the discovery of the Carol plot, is a member, intends interpolating the Government, considering his arrest unnecessary.

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## Premier Starts For Ottawa To Lay B.C. View Before Parley

## PREMIER TO HEAR SUTTON'S SCHEME FOR NEW RAILWAY

Noted Soldier of Fortune to Explain Plans For Peace River Development

Chang Tso Lin, Manchurian War Lord, Backing Purchase of P.G.E.?

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The Premier agreed to meet General Sutton in Vancouver before he leaves on Thursday night for Ottawa to attend the Interprovincial Conference. The General is anxious to tell Dr. MacLean about the scheme of Peace River development which he evolved during his tour of the North. It is understood here he does not ask for Government financial assistance, but requires land grants to promote the railway, which involves the extension of

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## U.S. Airship Trip to Ottawa Cancelled

Washington, Oct. 26 (Canadian Press)—Lack of an adequate and experienced landing crew at Ottawa caused the United States Navy Department to-day to abandon the proposed flight of the dirigible Los Angeles to Canada next Saturday.

## Trial at Nanaimo Proceeds Slowly

Nanaimo, Oct. 26.—The trial of Edward Jones, Dennis David and Jacob George, three West Coast Indians charged with having murdered Edward Ainalis Beach at Tofino on or about August 23 last, was continued in the assize court here this morning when evidence for the prosecution was submitted in continuation of yesterday's proceedings. Four witnesses were heard in the morning session of the court, but nothing of a sensational nature was produced, the proceedings being slow owing to the fact that an interpreter had to be used for every witness.

The court adjourned until this afternoon.

The prosecution has a number of witnesses to present before the defense presents its case.

## Old Age Pensions Soon in Yukon Area

Ottawa, Oct. 26.—Percy Reid, Gold Commissioner of the Yukon Territory, is expected in Ottawa within the next few days. He will take up with the Minister of Labor, Hon. Peter Hennan, the question of applying the old age pension legislation in the Yukon.

"Whatever may be said against old age pensions, and the fifty-five thousand people in the Yukon, the old age pension legislation is a good thing," said Mr. Hennan to-day. "The fact remains that the old people of British Columbia are now receiving their cheques and that is highly important."

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## MAYOR OF CHICAGO INVITED TO BRITAIN

Thompson Delays Answer Until He Discovers if Duties Will Permit Visit

Chicago, Oct. 26.—There has come a full in the storm, born of Mayor William Hale Thompson's efforts to rid the schools and Public Library of Chicago of what he considers pro-British and anti-American influences.

Developments which preceded the sudden calm included an invitation by Mayor Thompson to visit Great Britain, other cities to buy the thousands of discarded volumes of the Public Library, and the mayor's announcement that no books were to be burned at this time, and new charges that pro-British and anti-German texts are being used in Milwaukee.

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## CITY CLEARS WAY FOR START ON ELEVATOR

Panama Pacific to Commence Preliminary Work With Own Funds

Conference Called by Mayor Pendray Brings Unanimity Into Discussion

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**QUEBEC NOW HAS PROSPEROUS TIMES**

Quebec, Oct. 26.—There is practically no unemployment in Quebec Province, according to Louis Guyon, Deputy Minister of Labor.

"Never before has the province been through such an era of prosperity," he said. "The immigrants to the White Star liner are coincident with the arrival of the White Star liner, which perhaps in a greater degree than other provinces is suited to their plans."

"We can bring British Columbia all the immigrants she wants," said Mr. Tobin.

**DEFENDANT FOUND**

"Our tour through this Province, during which we talked with agriculturalists and fishing interests, has shown us that there is a demand for men in both the farming and fishing industries, and we can fill that demand with the type of immigrant that will prove desirable. The need for labor would be further emphasized if the Department of Fisheries would cancel all fishing licenses to Orientals, thereby providing thousands of jobs for British fishermen here. The department

spent about \$5,300,000, while those arriving by automobile spent approximately \$105,000,000 last year. More than \$1,000,000 more was spent in the Yukon.

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**KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS ATTENTION!**

**Funeral Notice**

The funeral of the late Charles Weiler will take place to-morrow, Thursday, the 27th inst., at 3:00 p.m. from B.C. Funeral Chapel, Mroughton Street, hence to Royal Oak Cemetery. Members of Far West-Victoria Lodge, 1, are invited to attend. Vinton Brothers, Invited.

J. M. UTTERIDGE, G.C.

A. G. H. HARDING, R.B.S.

**REGISTER NOW**

For Municipal Voters' List  
1927-28

All non-property owners, whether male or female, who desire to qualify as voters at the next Municipal election, must file the necessary declaration with the City Clerk, City Hall, not later than 5:00 p.m. on the 31st day of October, 1927.

For the convenience of those unable to register during ordinary office hours, the City Clerk's Office is being kept open each evening this week between the hours of 7 and 8 p.m. M. F. HUNTER, City Clerk.

City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B.C.  
October 22, 1927.

**\$150,000 Fire in Oshawa, Ontario**

Oshawa, Ont., Oct. 26.—Damage estimated at \$150,000 was done to the buildings and contents of the Aiger Block on King Street East here to-day when fire destroyed the Baltimore Cafe and a number of offices above it.

Eleanor Agnew and Margaret Wilson

**"HUSKY" PROVES BEST MEDICINE FOR THIS WOMAN**

Had Suffered For Years—But Gets Real Relief When She Turns to This Preparation

"Husky," the herb preparation, distributed by the MacFarlane Drug Co., continues to relieve suffering for hundreds of men and women who, to help them gain new health and strength, are finding help from other medicines, are finding that Husky is the very medicine they needed and that it helps them wonderfully. One of these cases is that of Mrs. A. Pendred, 755 Sixteenth Avenue, Victoria. She tells us Husky is helping her: "I have suffered for years from indigestion and severe

headaches. I was always in misery after meals and the headaches seem to afflict me continually. Anyone who has suffered with headaches of this kind knows that I felt miserable practically all the time."

"I tried all kinds of remedies, but I could find no relief until I began using Husky. Since I've been using this medicine regularly, however, the indigestion and headaches have disappeared and I cannot praise Husky enough for giving me this relief. I advise anyone suffering as I did to begin using Husky now. Real relief will come within a few days."

As Husky helps and strengthens the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, it gives splendid relief from such accompanying ills as headaches, dizzy spells, indigestion, gas and sore stomach, constipation, catarrhal affections, rheumatic pains, nervousness, unsound sleep and weak, lazy feelings.

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## WOMAN SENTENCED TO DEATH APPEALS

Chicago, Oct. 26.—Mrs. Catherine Cassler, the portly middle-aged woman who would rather die on the gallows than go to prison for life for murder, has had her wish deferred, at least for sixty days.

The woman who, if she is hanged, will be the first to be executed in the U.S. yesterday was given a sixty-day stay of execution to enable her attorneys to carry an appeal to the Supreme Court.

Mrs. Cassler was to have been

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EARTH SHOCKS RECORDED  
Potsdam, Germany, Oct. 25.—The seismographs at the Geodetic Institute here recorded a violent earthquake at 6 o'clock last evening, the shocks continuing until 9 o'clock.

"Don't forget Poppy Ball, Empress Hotel, November 10."

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The menu was composed entirely of Canadian products, including British

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## GET ON THE VOTERS' LIST

THOSE ELIGIBLE VOTERS IN THIS community who do not own property within the city limits must make application to have their names put on the civic roll on or before next Monday. On that day the lists will close and those whose names do not appear will not be able to cast ballots at the municipal elections in December.

It is gratifying to learn that nearly twice as many already have registered as had done so at this time last year; but the total up till last night indicates that something like 2,000 more applications will have to be made between now and next Monday if the roll is to be thoroughly representative of the city's municipal voting strength.

It should be borne in mind that this community has reached an important stage of its progress. A number of projects of an industrial nature are under consideration and the practical interest which is manifested in these matters will be reflected very largely by the number of our citizens who take the trouble to get on the electoral roll and exercise their franchise.

Too many people, we fear, do not realize that it is their duty to take an interest in local problems. It is their business and they have the privilege of electing the men they desire to conduct it. But they must get on the voters' list to enable them to do it.

## THE EXIT OF TROTZKY AND ZINOVIEFF

LEON TROTZKY AND GREGORY ZINOVIEFF have been read out of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Soviet Russia. This final act on the part of those in control does not come as a surprise. The two have been disciplined several times during the last few months because of what has been described as their treasonable speeches and violation of party regulation.

The interesting point about the discharge from the inner councils of the Communist Party of these two prominent figures is that they are to go into the dis-card with their skins whole. It is not the usual treatment meted out to recalcitrant members of an extremely radical organization. As a rule treason within the camp is summarily dealt with and the final chapter generally written by a firing squad. But Trotzky and Zinovieff have been tolerated for months and their general demeanor towards the less extreme elements of the Central Committee has been one of open defiance. That is their kind. It explains their kicking over the party traces. Theirs is the only method of running things. The policy of others, has no merit. Open rebellion is the result.

It will be recalled, however, that capital punishment recently was practically done away with in Russia except for major crimes. But the crimes of Trotzky and Zinovieff do not appear to come within this category. Their punishment is expulsion. With them out of the way, of course, Stalin may feel freer to continue the Communistic retreat from Moscow and still further modify the system of government which already is far removed from the edifice which Lenin erected.

Stalin is the intellectual inferior of both Trotzky and Zinovieff. There is much less of the extreme Communism about him. However, despite his power and the role he is filling, he still is a peasant at heart.

No violent change in Russian policy, either internal or external, need be expected as a result of the dismissal of these two active figures. Their influence has been practically nil for some time past. Return to representative government necessarily will be slow; but it will come eventually and it will be more solidly established with disturbing elements removed.

## USELESS REPETITION

DR. TOLMIE CONTINUES TO HARP on the complaint that Premier MacLean should not have called the Nelson by-election when he did because it kept him and some of his friends away from the recent Winnipeg Convention. He told us some time ago that the late Premier Oliver would have studied their feelings in the matter, and now he tells us that Premier King, too, would have acted differently.

It is not easy to understand just why Dr. Tolmie still is worrying about Nelson. He says he is pleased with the result. He takes the reduced majority as a sign that the strength of the Government is waning. What more does he want? Apart from this aspect of the matter, however, why should he be deplored the fact that he could not go to Winnipeg? Mr. Bennett is the Conservative Party's new leader, chosen on the second vote in a decisive manner, and everybody, save perhaps those who were hoping to get the job themselves, seems highly delighted with the result. Surely Dr. Tolmie ought to be talking to the

people of this Province about what he would do if he were running their affairs.

The Nelson by-election was held when it was to permit Premier MacLean to go to the conference of provincial Premiers at Ottawa. That gathering is of much more importance to British Columbia than Dr. Tolmie's presence at a Federal Conservative convention.

## THE FLAG ISSUE SETTLED

GENERAL HERTZOG AND GENERAL Smuts and their respective parties have reached an agreement on the South African flag question. It now will not be necessary to submit a referendum to the people for their instructions.

Latest dispatches from Capetown indicate that the settlement is a compromise which at times may lead to confusion. On quite a number of official buildings both the Union Jack and the new emblem will be flown, while the Union Jack will continue to be flown on ships until a decision of an Imperial Conference shall otherwise determine.

The fortunate point about this solution is that the campaign which has waged bitterly will be brought to a close and racial prejudices which have been emphasized will be allowed to subside. A campaign on a referendum would have been bad for business and dangerous in more ways than one.

It still is difficult to understand why there should have been so much objection to the idea of a distinct emblem for this member of the British Commonwealth of Nations. Australia and New Zealand have had their flags for a long time, while the Irish Free State lost no time in getting one for itself. Yet we find the newest Dominion enjoying more cordial relations with Great Britain than it has done at any time since its formation.

## WHAT THE TORNADO REVEALED

ONE OF THE INTERESTING THINGS that a survey of the damage done by the tornado at St. Louis has revealed is the fact that the wooden houses survived the storm with a much smaller percentage of damage than other houses around them. Most of the dwellings in the storm-stricken area were constructed of materials other than wood. Incidentally, moreover, a large part of the damage to the wooden structures was caused by flying debris from neighboring houses built of heavier material.

By virtue of its elasticity, of course, the wooden house is much safer in a violent gale than one constructed of brick would be; but the twister that blew through St. Louis was no ordinary gale, as the pictures of the shambles very clearly portray. The damage done to buildings of heavier material, however, may reasonably have a bearing on building programmes in those areas of this continent to which Nature occasionally pays very rough attention. With efficient fire-fighting services in even small communities the wooden house is a fair risk; but the work of the tornado in St. Louis seems to have been very thorough on other kinds of dwellings.

## WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

TAME CATS  
From The Detroit News

It occurred to a great news-gathering organization, the other day, that time should be found to look into the matter of Kilkenny cats. Just as one feared, the correspondent who investigated reports that the cats of Kilkenny no longer fight to a greater degree than less notorious cats elsewhere.

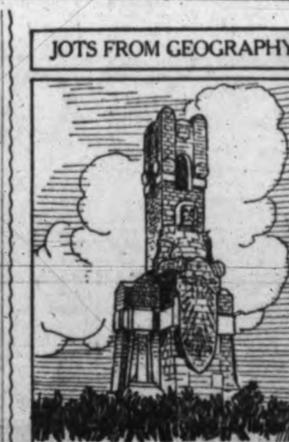
Being the representative of such a service, there can have been nothing perfunctory about the investigation; his conclusions are certainly not founded on mere hearsay; doubtless the man pursued his studies at the witching hour of midnight, hidden in a rain barrel or the shadowy end of an Irish wall. It sounds like an interesting, and even difficult, assignment.

No satisfying reason is advanced for this reform of the Kilkenny cats; science, possibly, will step in and analyze the matter. But some sobering influence has incontestably descended on the cats of Kilkenny so that the night hours formerly given over to their gory revels, now comparatively quiet except during elections.

But the correspondent found out one thing, heartening in these days of so many punctured legends. The Kilkenny cats of the past did fight and fought like-well, Kilkenny cats.

## THOUGHTS

Rende therefore to all their dues.—Romans xiii. 7. A tender conscience is a stronger obligation than prison.—Thomas Fuller.

THE BISMARCK COLUMN at Cologne, Germany, was erected as a monument to the man of "blood and iron." The giant monument is constructed of brick and stone, but in spite of its irregular composition, the relief of the whole is singularly pleasing. Bismarck is known as the greatest statesman of the 19th Century. By his personality he elevated the House of Hohenzollern to imperial prestige. 

## DO YOU KNOW—



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## Other People's Views

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**THIRTY-FOUR ARE  
MISSING AT SEA AS  
SHIPS SEARCH**

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for new homes in Brazil and Argentina were forced to take to the lifeboats when the luxurious Italian liner *Principessa Mafalda* foundered about one mile southeast of the port of Bahia, Brazil.

First reports were that the vessel struck a rock in a dangerous region. A radio message from a rescue ship, however, said the sinking was due to an explosion.

Three of the ships which rushed to the aid of the sinking ship when she sent out an SOS call at 7:15 last night picked up 730 of the 1,900 passengers reported to have been aboard the liner. Radio reports indicated ships still were engaged to-day in the work of rescue.

**SHIPS RUSHED TO SCENE**

When the first frantic calls for help came from the sinking liner, four ships were within short cruising distance hastening to her aid. Many of the passengers took to lifeboats and rafts while others leaped overboard with life preservers strapped about their bodies.

So great was the need of speed

**Yukon Now Has  
Aeroplane Service**

Whitehorse, Y.T., Oct. 26.—Lieut. A. D. Crickshank made an excellent landing on the aviation field near the monoplane Queen of the Yukon, which had made the trip from Skagway in a few minutes over one hour. This is the first plane brought in by the Yukon Airways and Exploration Company, organized for the purpose of freight, mail and passenger business, but more particularly for exploration and prospecting in the more inaccessible parts of the territory.

Whitehorse will be the base of the company's operations.

The plane had been taken from Vancouver to Skagway by steamship.

In the rescue work that the four ships, on arriving at the scene, found time to wireless only the most meager details concerning the fate of the passengers.

The French steamship *Formosa*, saved 102 lives; the British steamship *Empire Star* picked up 200 and the German steamship *Athena* accounted for 400.

The British steamship *Radioleine* also reached the scene of the disaster, but it was not learned whether she had picked up any survivors of the *Mafalda*. The only report of the *Radioleine's* activities was that she had assisted in the rescue work.

Commander Autran of the naval arsenal said to-day he believed the disaster must have been due to the ship striking some submerged object off the coast.

**CRUISER SENT**

The Brazil Naval Ministry ordered the cruiser *Rio Grande do Sul* to proceed immediately to the scene and co-operate in the rescue work.

The *Mafalda* had made twenty voyages from Italy to Buenos Ayres, carrying 1,000 tons of first and second-class passengers. She was under command of Capt. Simao Gulli, a veteran mariner, aged fifty-five. She was due to arrive Saturday. The ship sailed from Genoa October 10 and Barcelona, Spain, October 20.

The first news of the disaster reached here when the Bahia radio station reported hearing numerous calls and aid being relayed by ships which had picked up the *Mafalda's* frantic appeals.

Advice to the Ministry of Marine placed the scene of the disaster at Abrolhos, a group of low rock islands about forty miles off *Caravelas*, midway between Bahia and Rio de Janeiro.

The waters off Bahia, where the ship sank, are made treacherous by unmarked rocks just below the surface which are hidden by the waves. The ship, going from Buenos Ayres to New York last Spring, struck on rocks there and was salvaged only after considerable difficulty.

**IN TRADE WIND AREA**

Southeast trade winds blow steadily over the portion of the South Atlantic where the ship sank. The weather is usually fairly calm, with a smooth sea. This would permit lifeboats to be lowered without much danger of capsizing.

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**DEPARTMENTAL MATTERS**

Apart from the conference itself the Premier will take up various departmental matters in Ottawa. He is talking with him memoranda on the salmon fishing situation in the Province from officials of the Fisheries Department and from canners. After considering these carefully during his trip to Ottawa, he will discuss the whole fishery situation with officials of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, following report of same depicted in the salmon run of this Country.

The Premier has been asked by former sealing interests to take up the old question of compensation for them owing to the abolition of their business. These requests will be considered by the Government leader on his way East with a view to action at the Capital if this is considered desirable.

**PREMIER TO HEAR  
SUTTON'S SCHEME  
FOR NEW RAILWAY**

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the Pacific Great Eastern Railway northward from the Peace River country.

**SCHEME IS FAR-REACHING**

Since the Capital has found it difficult to attract the attention of a son of fortune who became a leading figure in China's complicated game of politics and civil war. If General Sutton has the money necessary to take over the P.G.E. and extend it northward undoubtedly the Government will be willing to talk with him, but the magnificence of the scheme, which is far greater than the federal or provincial authorities have ever considered, has made the Capital wonder. It seems almost impossible that such a proposition could be financed except by the combined resources of powerful financial organizations.

**WAR LORD BEHIND PLAN?**

Yesterday's reports from Toronto declare that General Sutton is investigating Chang Tao Lin's untold millions in British Columbia, as a safe place out of the reach of his enemies, have intrigued officials here. If the General can command the financial support of the Manchurian war lord, he will be in a position to build the P.G.E. almost anywhere. The idea of Chang Tao Lin rescuing British Columbia from its railway problem and operating a big railway system has appeared to the Capital as refreshing, to say the least.

Meanwhile the Government has an open mind on the whole question and the Premier will hear precisely what General Sutton proposes at an interview to-morrow. What appears to interest the authorities here most at the moment is General Sutton's financial difficulty to carry through his project.

**REPLY TO INVITATION**

To a cable invitation from Sir Edward St. George, of England, for a week, Mayor Thompson replied:

"I greatly appreciate your kind invitation and heartily agree with the sentiment expressed in your telegram. The common understanding of the facts and truth regarding the intercourse of our two countries, I am sure, would be helpful to both, and important at this time when false reports are being circulated throughout the world pertaining to the mayor of Chicago burning the books of the Chicago Public Library, which is absolutely false. "Appreciating as I do your kind invitation, I regret at this moment I can not say positively that I could make the long journey because of my official duties at home, but if it may be permitted, will delay my final answer until such time as will give me an opportunity to decide if I may possibly accept."

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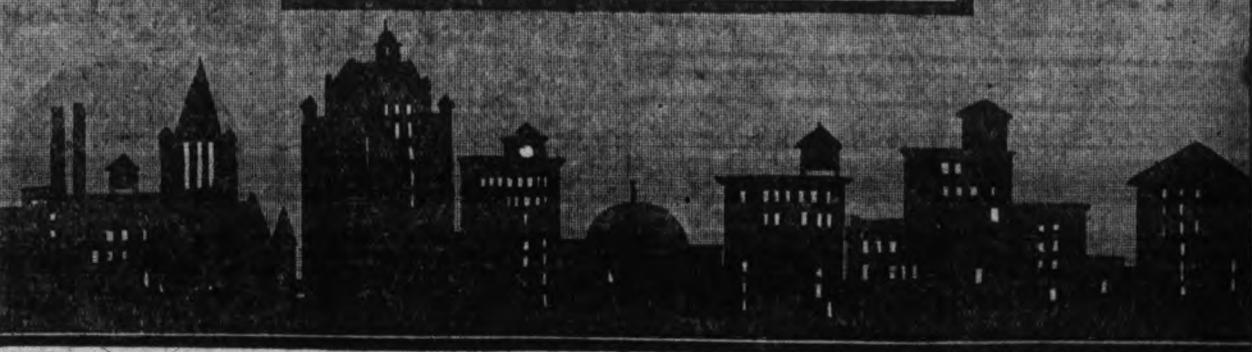
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Boils	Impetigo
Measles	(Skin Infection)
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## WELSH COAL FOR HOMES IN CANADA

**D. Thomas, Now Visiting B.C. Coast, Tells of Shipping Plans.**

Vancouver, Oct. 26.—"Britain will import large quantities of wheat from Canada and it is our hope to fill the many ship requirements with Welsh anthracite coal for the Western market," declares Dan Thomas, C.B.E., Welsh colliery owner, who is in Vancouver during a visit to British Columbia to survey the market prospects.

Mr. Thomas is the director of the Amalgamated Anthracite Collieries Limited, working twenty-four collieries, of which Sir Alfred Mond is chairman of the board, and four other local companies. Mr. Thomas was private secretary to Sir Alfred Mond for fifteen years and is a strong supporter of the Mond propaganda for Empire trade.

"We are not able to produce excellent coal for local industrial purposes, but believe there is a good market for Welsh anthracite, which is unsurpassed for home and heating use," Mr. Thomas said.

### TO INCREASE BUSINESS

British companies, he said, were now making determined efforts to work up business in the Empire and he remarked his company had already exported 400,000 tons of coal to Canada in competition with Pennsylvania anthracite.

He declared that while the business would not be large at first, his company was looking to the future.

### OLE AND COAL

"There is no sign of oil superseding coal," Mr. Thomas stated emphatically. "To our knowledge there is not enough oil in the world for the demands. We are sure the coalfields in Britain and Canada will be able to meet the world's needs for many years to come."

Britain had regained almost all its foreign trade in coal, despite the losses suffered during the big strike, Mr. Thomas said. He pointed out many large consumers, steamship and railway companies which had suffered for oil, had now returned to coal.

Mr. Thomas will visit mines on Vancouver Island and in other parts of the Province and return East next week.

## SEIZURE OF BOAT IS DECLARED PIRACY

**Ontario Magistrate Speaks Plainly of U.S. Prohibition Agents' Course**

Belleville, Ont., Oct. 26.—"High-handed piracy" was the term applied by Magistrate W. C. Mikel to the action of the United States prohibition officers in seizing a powerboat owned by Dr. Hedley Welbanks of Wellbank's following his subsequent repossession of the confiscated boat Verma at Brighton, Ont., on the night of October 13 last, after it had been sold by the United States Marine Department to the Palmer Company of Rochester.

Magistrate Mikel reserved judgment in the seizure of Welbanks's boat by United States officers was illegal and it was high-handed," the magistrate said. "To think these officers who come into Canadian waters armed with revolvers and a machine gun, and take possession of a Canadian boat. It is the worst piece of piracy I have ever heard of."

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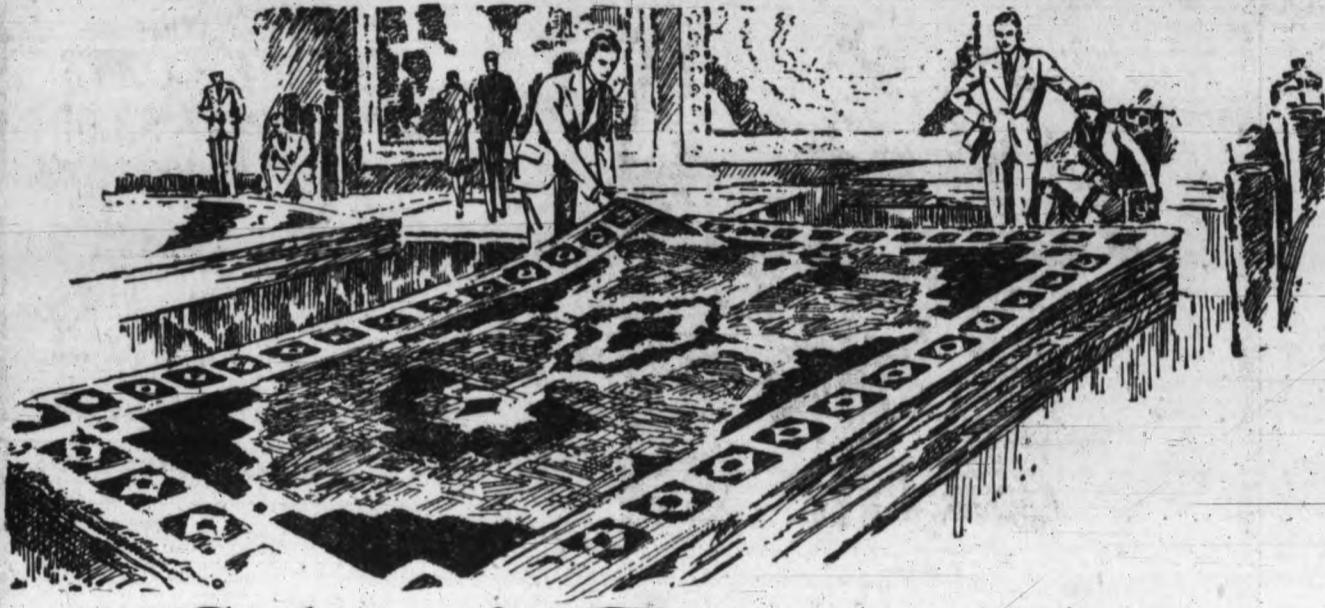
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## Sale of Oriental Rugs Commences Thursday, October 27

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Mr. George Carter, the Oriental rug expert, has been appointed buyer for the Oriental Carpet Departments of our Victoria and Vancouver stores, and will, commencing Thursday, October 27, conduct a Sale of Oriental Rugs, which will include great stocks from both stores. There will be beautiful Rugs from Persia, Turkey, Tientsin, India, etc. An entirely new line will be shown by us for the first time—viz., Turko-Greek Rugs. These are lustrous, hand-tufted Rugs formerly made by the Greek weavers in Turkey; now made by the Greek weavers from Turkey in Greece.

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Tientsin Rugs, 4.0x7.0, from	<b>\$75.00</b>	Tientsin Rugs, 9.0x12.0, blue and brown, brown and taupe, chocolate and mulberry, blue and tan. Each	<b>\$197.50</b>
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The mother worries when the teeth do not appear. She worries when they appear early, for there are always advisers who are eager to tell her that early teeth denote or that late teeth are due to the baby's inheritance. Both of which ideas merely skin the truth.

The teeth are in the gums when the child is born. They have been there for months. When the baby is from four to seven months old the teeth will push up at eight. The first teeth should appear before the fourth month and sometimes several months later. The first teeth are the two lower central ones; the next four, upper, centre ones; so that at one year the child has six teeth.

If he has no teeth at one year of age there are three possible causes for their delay. The child has not been fed rightly; the mother does not have the proper nourishment during pregnancy or the child has had a serious illness. Perhaps the mother or father has had a history of late teething. If the baby repeats this history it is more than likely because his feeding and whole environment has been a repetition of the parents. Even the entire family, all of whom have had strong teeth; if the baby has been sickly or badly nourished the teeth will show this. So don't attach too much importance to heredity.

Between twelve and sixteen months four double teeth will arrive. The stomach and eye teeth come in between the eighteenth and twenty-fourth month. The thirty month old child will have his full set of twenty teeth.

The actual eruption period is usually marked by some disturbance, fever, irritability and probably a slight diarrhoea and loss of appetite. This may last a week. The frailer the child, the more he will suffer over even the loss of his life and teeth are no exception.

The mother makes her greatest mistake when she begins at four months of age to attribute every ailment to teeth. Teeth may temporarily aggravate the child's condition, but the fault is not teeth, but the general health. It is the difference between the child going wild and the fellows who help him to the minimum.

Teeth may not appear in exactly the order named; they may come in far later or earlier than the time named. Unless this time variation is great the mother need not worry. She should put her efforts on the right diet and general care and see that in all ways the child is progressing as he should; then she can forget the teeth.

If you are in doubt about the proper diet for your baby, write Mrs. Eldred enclosing a s.a.s.e., giving the baby's age and she will send you a diet leaflet.

## SOCIAL PERSONAL

## WOMEN'S AFFAIRS

## CLUB NEWS

## HUNDREDS ATTEND OPENING CEREMONY OF NEW Y.W.C.A.

### Hon. R. R. Bruce Lauds Vision and Energy of the Women Responsible

Warm commendation of the faithful and energetic women whose efforts over many years in the face of innumerable obstacles which would have daunted men had culminated in such a fine building, was expressed by speakers at the formal opening ceremony yesterday at the new Y.W.C.A. building. Hundreds of visitors were gathered in the spacious lounge when His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor arrived with Miss Mackenzie for the ceremony, and throughout the afternoon a steady stream of friends of the institution passed through its doors to admire this fine new addition to the community life of Victoria.

#### HISTORY REVIEWED

Touching upon the history of the "Y" His Honor in his opening address paid tribute to the vision and faith of the little band of women who started the movement over thirty years ago under the guidance of the late Bishop Criddle, with a nucleus of sixteen girls and their mothers in ten cottages.

After many vicissitudes it had kept faith and progressed, and the present building was a splendid testimony to the vision and energy of those who had carried on the work. Such a building was a credit not only to the "Y" but was also a testimony from the city of Victoria to the fact that work being carried on among the young is the manhood of the city, said His Honor.

The Lieutenant-Governor singled out for particular praise the president, Mrs. H. H. Smith, and Mrs. J. H. Fletcher, who had borne most of the work and onus of raising the money required for the building, but also Mrs. Agnes Deans Cameron Chapter, I.O.D.E., which had furnished the lounge as a memorial to the late Miss Cameron, one of the outstanding workers in the Y.W.C.A. in former years and a notable figure in the Canadian movement, the chairwoman of the dressing-room, C. E. Watkins, the architect, and Luney Bros., the contractors, for the excellence of the design and construction.

#### TRIBUTE TO WOMEN

Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., lauded the work of the sacrificial, tenacious, faithful and energetic women who had surmounted what mere men would consider insurmountable obstacles to reach the goal of a sufficient number of members to meet the needs of a modern Y.W.C.A. To the men present he amusingly related the suggestion that the women who had built the "Y" should be called to put over the elevator scheme for the history of the Y.W.C.A. in Victoria had proved their dauntless courage.

#### FLOWERS PRESENTED

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Gin Pills relieve sufferers from kidney and bladder trouble

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(Name on request.)

Prompt and lasting relief has been found in Gin Pills by thousands of people of advanced years who have had kidney or bladder trouble. If even slightly troubled in this way, get a box today at your druggist's—50c. National Drug & Chemical Company of Canada, Limited, Toronto, Canada.

## PRINCESS ELAINE LAUNCHED TO-DAY

New C.P.R. Ferry Steamer For Nanaimo-Vancouver Run Takes Water

With ideal weather conditions prevailing, the Seafarers' Elaine, new ferry steamer for the Canadian Pacific Railways service between Nanaimo and Vancouver, was successfully launched to-day at the yards of John Brown & Company, Clydebank. This information was contained in a cable received this morning by Capt. J. W. Troup, manager of the B.C. Coast Steamship Service.

Mrs. Madeline Day, married daughter of Grant Hall, vice-president of the company, was sponsor at the launching.

The length of the Elaine is 291 feet with a forty-eight-foot beam and a ten-foot depth. She has ample and luxurious accommodation for about 1,300 passengers, and her fine decks will afford wide promenade space.

Special attention has been paid in the construction of the vessel to ensure ease in embarkation and disembarkation of passengers and automobiles. She has an efficient bridge between decks for the transportation of cars, and with the clearance thus obtained trucks can be loaded without dismounting, a facility which will prove valuable to island and mainland ship-owners.

The Princess Elaine, which cost in the neighborhood of \$585,000, will be delivered early next year.

## CANADIAN-CZECH TREATY IS DRAFTED

Parliament to be Asked to Ratify Trade Pact With Republic

Ottawa, Oct. 26.—Parliament probably will be asked at the coming session to ratify a trade agreement between Canada and Czechoslovakia.

Negotiations, it was learned to-day, are now well under way for a trade treaty between the two countries on the basis of the mutual exchange of most favored nation待遇.

Under the terms of the provisional trade pact, the Czechoslovakia extends to the products of the Czechoslovakia Republic the rates of the intermediate tariff. Czechoslovakia, in return, extends most favored nation treatment to a selected list of Canadian products comprising in all seventy-one items of the Czechoslovakian customs tariff.

The new schedule will be instituted with the sailing of the steamship President Madison from this port at 6 o'clock Monday, November 7, instead of 6 o'clock Tuesday, November 8. In the future, the liner will sail every other Monday at 6 o'clock instead of every other Tuesday at 6 o'clock. Ships of the fleet will arrive every other Monday as at present.

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Miss E. F. Mara Guest at Delightful Guide Function Yesterday

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On her arrival Miss Mara was greeted with a special song of good wishes culminating in the grand salute. The hostess pack then took charge. Prince Charming, princesses, Betty Sisters, a first-year Brownie, attired in spruce uniform with plumed cavalier hat, made his bow, and first blindfolding the guest of honor, led her to a throne where she was seated and straightway turned into a fairy princess and invested with royal robes and crown by a beautiful little fairy with tresses of butterfly wings. Accompanied by Gloria, Witches, Elves, fairies, gnomes and pixies each in turn danced up to the throne and their leaders presented small gifts with appropriate rhymes, then formed in a fairy ring and joined once more in dance and song.

2nd Victoria Pack expressed their good wishes in merry dance and song also, the finale being made by two spruced-up Maids. Maids bearing banners in which joy, happiness, peace, leisure and all good and desirable things they wished her, were specified. 1st Victoria Pack entertained her with a pretty action song and dance. 8th Victoria (Esquimalt) Brownies served the guest of honor with a card song and gave her one of their particular pack cards in honor, afterwards presenting their offering, the leaders reciting explanatory verses.

Presentations ended Prince Charming and the Princess (Miss Mara) led the way to the tea tables, where a most delicious repast was partaken of.

Games and dances occupied the remainder of the afternoon and concludes being crowned by delightful fairy tales told most engagingly by Mrs. A. B. Cooke and Miss Stewart-Williams and listened to with enthralled interest by the eight Brownies present.

The arrival of Miss Mara's fiance, Mr. Alan Morkill, was the signal for another pretty ceremony, in which the Guides and Pack leaders participated in a most appropriate address in rhyme, beautifully illuminated by Mrs. Genge and suitably framed.

Miss Mara thanked the Brownies and Brown and Tawny Owls for all their good wishes and pretty gifts and assured them that her visit to Brownie land was one of the jolliest experiences she had ever had. The hearty departure, escorted by the pack mascot, wee Elizabeth Angus. Before departing the Brownies searched the hall for gifts left for them by Mr. Morkill in the shape of brightly colored packages of candies.

Among the Guides present were Miss Linda Johnson, district commissioner; Mrs. L. A. Genge, district commissioner; Mrs. Curtis Sampson, president of the Guide association; Miss Stewart-Williams, Mrs. R. P. Matheson, Miss Henslow, Brown Owls; Miss Thompson, Miss Langley, Miss Shaw, Tawny Owls; Miss Goward, district leader; Guides Peggy and Joan, Thomas and Mrs. A. B. Cooke. The following ladies kindly assisted in serving tea: Madames Little, C. Wilson, Alexander, Piggott, Musgrave, Shaw, V. E. Thomas and Mrs. Woodie (California).

## Shawnigan Lake

Shawnigan Lake, Oct. 26.—At Shawnigan Lake United Church on Monday evening the ladies held a social evening, when recitations, readings and games, followed by refreshments, constituted the programme. Mrs. J. Ford, Mrs. G. Gibson and Mrs. J. Medland served on the refreshment committee, while Mrs. W. Perry and Miss Jackie Radlett also rendered good service. W. Perry had the games in hand, giving also a paper on several phases of army life. Miss Ethel Hunt, Miss Dorothy Perry and little Miss Brooks favored the gathering with recitations. The audience pronounced the gathering a social success, and the ladies and gentlemen intend putting on another one shortly. There will then be several novel competitions.

## Luxton

Luxton, Oct. 26.—A lantern lecture will be given on Thursday evening by Mr. Raper of Victoria in the Reformed Episcopal Church at Happy Valley, commencing at 7 p.m. All are invited. After the lecture a meeting will be held to discuss the heating of the church and the proposed purchase of a furnace.

A card party will be held at "Wanda-ay," the home of Mrs. R. B. Hunt, Happy Valley, under the auspices of the Luxton and Happy Valley Women's Institute on Saturday, November 5, at 8 p.m. Good prizes will be given and a good attendance is expected. A cordial invitation is issued to all friends to attend.

College Hallowe'en Ball.—The students of Victoria College will hold their annual masquerade and Hallowe'en ball on Friday evening, October 28, at the college. Hunt's orchestra will supply the music. Fancy dress is optional. Outsiders can attend if affairs only by special invitation.

Municipal Chapter — Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., draws to the notice of all members of the order the coming superfluous sale to be held by the Rotary Club in aid the Solarium, and asks them to give this object their assent in any way they can.

Tuberculous Veterans W.A. — The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Tuberculous Veterans' Association will be held in the club rooms, corner Langley and Streets, Thursday, October 27. All members are requested to attend.

Planning Bazaar.—The ladies of Court Maple Leaf A.O.F. are invited to a social afternoon at the Foresters' Hall to-morrow afternoon for the purpose of making further arrangements for their coming annual bazaar to be held in the near future.

Home Cooking Sale.—The Esquimalt sub-division of the Catholic Women's League will hold a home cooking sale in David Spencer's Limited on Saturday morning.

## "Paintex" Expert Here

Miss Dorothy Beach, expert in Paintex, will be glad to instruct anyone in this fascinating art work. She will be here until the end of the week.

—Art Needlework Dept.  
Mezzanine Floor, H.B.C.



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Visit our Stationery Section and see the wonderful displays and full assortments of Party Favors, Decorations and Novelties for Hallowe'en. These are all popularly priced.

### Dennison's Plain Crepe Paper

In orange and black, 10 feet long and 20 inches wide. Price 20¢

### Dennison's Crepe Paper Serviettes

Featuring witches, pumpkins, bats and goblins. Per dozen 10¢  
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### Decorated Crepe Paper

Suitable for Hallowe'en costumes, 10 feet long and 20 inches wide. Per roll 35¢

### Dennison's Crepe Paper Hats

Price 15¢

### Party Invitations

Assorted designs. Per dozen 50¢

### Bridge Tallies

Per dozen 35¢

### Dennison's Party Magazines

Price 25¢

### Dennison's Hallowe'en Seals and Cut Outs

Including witches, cats, owls, goblins and bats. Each 10¢  
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Main Floor, H.B.C.

## Apples for Hallowe'en

Fancy local King Apples, all wrapped and in good condition, per box 22.5¢

Okanagan Jonathan Apples, direct from the orchard, open boxes. Special, per box \$1.75

Local Cox's Orange Pippin Apples, good, sound stock. Per box \$3.00

Finest local Cooking Apples, in slatted boxes. Special, per box \$1.25

Fancy Okanagan Jonathan Apples, for high-class dessert use. Per box \$2.55

Local Pumpkin, per lb. 4¢

California Valencia Oranges, per doz. 50¢ and 60¢

Choice Red Emperor Grapes, per lb. 15¢

Freshly Roasted Peanuts, per lb. 15¢

Popping Corn, per lb. 10¢

Fine large Fresh Cocoanuts, each 15¢ and 20¢

## Hallowe'en Candies

Orange and Licorice large Crystallized Jellies, per lb. 30¢

Orange and Licorice Jelly Beans and Buttons. Special, per lb. 30¢

Hallowe'en Wrapped Molasses Kisses. Special, per lb. 30¢

Fancy Mexican Baskets, 2 for 15¢, 10¢

Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.



## Another 25 Five-tube Radio Sets to Sell at \$99.75

These are positively the last twenty-five available.

We were fortunate in securing them through our Montreal office. They are the well-known R-50 five-tube

Victor Northern sets, capable of receiving long-distance stations. The price includes five tubes, three 45-V B batteries, one C battery, one Imperial A storage

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Rich, shimmering velvets, georgettes, lustrous satin crepe and flat crepe are subtly fashioned into lovely frocks for bridge, afternoon and informal affairs.

Many emphasize the importance of the flare — each in an individual way. Draped effects are new and the swathed hip line, while the straight coat fronted gown is in evidence for the larger figure. Simple trimmings such as piping, pintucks, applique velvet, fine pleats and many ornamental buckles add the finishing note; and some beaded bolero effects are extremely new. Colors include burgundy, jungle, sandal, chestnut, lacquer, dragon green and Chinese blue; also navy, black, and black with color. All sizes. Prices

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## Three Days' Sale of Gift Handkerchiefs

Plan your Gift Lists now and buy Handkerchiefs at these special sale prices. Five big assortments to choose from, and all wonderful value.

### Boxed Handkerchiefs

White and colored lawn handkerchiefs with embroidered corners, two in attractive gift boxes. Special at 49¢

### 200 Boxes Novelty Handkerchiefs

Values to \$1.75 for 89¢.

This group features Linen and lawn handkerchiefs in white and colors, with dainty embroidered corners; some two and others three in a box. Values to \$1.75. Special at 89¢.

### 100 Boxes Novelty Handkerchiefs

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Choice of Linen, lawn and voile, two or three in box, in white and many charming colors, all daintily embroidered at corners. Shown in beautiful gift boxes. Values to \$2.50. Special at 89¢.

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**NEWS IN BRIEF**

J. H. Sangster and the Veterans' Sightseeing Company were each fined \$5 in the city police court this morning for failing to display the necessary tail light on an automobile.

Hector Turner, charged in the city police court this morning with the theft of \$105 from Johns Wong, a Chinaman, and arrested by Detectives Phipps and Stark, was remanded for one week by Magistrate Jay.

A tea and sale of work under the auspices of the Young Women's Auxiliary and Junior Mission Band will be held in the Gordon Head Hall on Friday, October 28 at 6 o'clock.

Joseph Rose, local optometrist, will deliver a lecture this evening over Radio Station CFOR at 8:30 o'clock on the "Care of the Eyes." The subject of this particular talk will be "Conservation of Vision."

Operators of gasoline and oil service stations will hold a special meeting this evening at Temple Hall, North Park Street at 8 o'clock when the question of retailing gasoline and oil will be discussed.

On Tuesday next, A. D. Taylor, K.C. of Victoria, will speak on "The Care of the Eyes" at 8 o'clock before members of the Royal Society of St. George. The meeting will be held in the Conservative Club Rooms, Campbell Building, at 8 p.m.

A grand concert will be given on November 4 at the Metropolitan United Church at 8 o'clock. Many well-known artists will take part in the programme. The concert will be under the auspices of the Women's Missionary Society.

A deputation of Cloverdale residents will this evening wait on the Saanich School Board and present a largely signed protest against proposed transportation of fifty infants to Lake Hill School. Medical Officer Dr. Berman having condemned the lighting of two basement rooms at Cloverdale School, a majority of the board is believed to favor closing these rooms, as preferable to installation of modern indirect artificial lights.

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## HOCKEY, BOXING TIMES SPORTING NEWS BASKETBALL, RUGBY

## Athletes To Remain Under Ban Of Union

Arthur Webster, Stan Stanyar and Bob Whyte Among Prominent Ones to Be Lost to Winter Sports Until the Victoria Board of Amateur Union Grants Reinstatement; Players' Actions Fully "Aired" at Meeting Held Last Night; Webster and Kerr Must Go Before Board to "Explain Their Own Actions"

Three prominent athletes who would be great assets to Winter sports, and who automatically suspended themselves through violation of the amateur rules during the past baseball season, remain under the ban of the Amateur Athletic Union as the result of a meeting of the local board held last night at the Y.M.C.A.

The players involved are Arthur S. Webster, Stan Stanyar and Whyte. At the gathering last night the suspension was officially put into effect, none of these players will be able to participate in any sport affiliated with the A.A.U. of C. until such time as they have explained their actions to the Victoria board. This means that neither Stanyar nor Webster will be available for the local Canadian rugby team, while Webster and Whyte will be unable to take part in any basketball fixtures. Stanyar is also out on the side-lines as far as amateur hockey is concerned.

## OTHERS INVOLVED

A number of other players are also involved, but few of them take an active part in Winter sports.

The action by the Victoria board was taken following the playing of Webster and Johnny Kerr in Vancouver with the Sons of Canada team, local champions, in the British Columbia amateur tournaments under assumed names.

The suspension of Bob Whyte, Stanyar and many other athletes resulted from the Sons of Canada "Old-timers" exhibition game when two professionals, Walter and "Poke" Gravlin, took part.

Kerr and Webster will be called before the local board next Friday night to "explain their own actions," as stated by Percy Watson, at last night's meeting.

In speaking on this question Leonard Tait, retiring president of the board, remarked: "I think it is a most serious matter, and a serious impeachment of the players."

"I think it is a most decided breach of the etiquette of the game and was a most despicable thing to do," stated Arthur Manson, the newly-elected president of the local board.

## PASS ON INFORMATION

It was decided to send all the information in the hands of the local board to the British Columbia Amateur Baseball Association, with headquarters in Vancouver, for further action. This body will hold a meeting in the near future to deal with the matter.

The action to be taken by the board against these men will depend on how serious the B.C.A.B.A. treats the affair. If they let the two players off lightly then the Victoria board will, in all probability, do the same.

In order to obtain a correct list of the players who participated in the Sons of Canada "Old-timers" game, the local board decided to ask the executive of the Victoria Senior Amateur Baseball League for a full list of the two teams. Even although the league had a written reply to the board, stated they had taken no interest whatever in this fixture the board was of the opinion last night that in order to clear up the matter as quickly as possible the co-operation of the league should be sought. The local board can have these men reinstated immediately or they can hold them under suspension for as long a time as they see fit.

## SEE THE MATTER THROUGH

Officials of the Union stated last night that they intend to see the matter right through in order to show Victoria athletes once and for all they must observe the code of playing rules as set down by the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada. Similar infractions have occurred in the past, and the athletes do not seem to have learned their lesson.

Arthur Manson was elected president of the local board for the next twelve months, succeeding Leonard S. Tait, who now heads the provincial body. Mr. Tait, Maguire was persuaded to continue as secretary-treasurer, but only until a successor could be located. Mr. Maguire has held the office for the past six years. W. G. Bird was elected vice-president.

Gilbert A. Heineken on behalf of the Tillicum Athletic Club applied for affiliation to the A.A.U. of C. and the application was granted.

## BOXING CHAMPIONS

The Tillicum Club and W. H. Davies, on behalf of the Victoria Y.M.C.A., application for holding the City and Vancouver Island boxing championships. The matter was left in abeyance for further discussion by the board.

## "Tuffy" Davis Leaves

Ladysmith, Oct. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. Milton Davis have left the city, and in future will reside in Longview, Wash. On the eve of their departure the members of the Timberlands Baseball Club entertained them at the home of Mrs. H. Thorneley. Manager Henderson presented "Tuffy," as he is known to Coors sports followers, with a set of new hair brushes and a model clock to Mrs. Davis, on behalf of the members of the club. "Tuffy" has played centre-forward for the Ladysmith soccer team for the past two seasons.

## HERMANN RESIGNS

Cincinnati, Oct. 26.—Giving poor health as his reason, August Hermann, for twenty-five years president of the Cincinnati National League baseball club, has resigned.

C. H. McDermid, secretary of the club, has been elected by the directors to succeed him.

## FLAPPERS OF LINKS ARE BARRED FROM GOLF TOURNAMENTS

Chicago, Oct. 26.—Children should keep their place in golf as well as in other things. It was decided yesterday by the Women's Western Golf Association at its annual meeting. An amendment to the constitution was adopted barring girls under sixteen years of age from the major tournaments of the organization.

The change was opposed by some California members on the ground that a prodig of the links should not be kept in the background until she grew up. It was hinted that the older members did not relish the idea of flappers on the links in entering the mainstays of the events.

Competition was too severe for ladies of meagre age who should stay in the junior tournaments, it was said by supporters of the amendment.

## TWO TOWNS KNOCK OFF FOR THE DAY TO SEE RUTH WORK

Marysville, Cal., Oct. 26.—Two towns, Yuba City and Marysville, took a walk yesterday and saw Babe Ruth knock a baseball into the Yuba River, which flows near the ball park. Ruth's throw was aimed at the ball park.

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## HORSE RACING

New York, Oct. 26.—William Zeigler Jr. added another stake to his list yesterday at Empire City when Polydor, with Jockey Mack Garner in the saddle, took the Hertedale claiming race in the fifth six furlongs. The race carried a net purse of \$3,915, and the time was 1:10. Polydor was rushed to the front, ran into a three-lengths lead and won by two lengths. Centaur, on which there was a plunge, was second and Ironside third.

The Greenstreet stable's Navigator accounted for Elkridge Handicap at Laurel Park, and was second and won the third. Navigator was held in restraint during running fifth until the end of the season and threw in his substitutes for most of the final period.

Margaret Macbrayne was high scorer with fourteen points. Pauline McCormick helped the good cause along, and Denee Schaper, with a total of eight points, was high scorer for the Chicago team.

The Williamstown feature at LaSalle was taken by Kermes. Rolled Stocking was second and Rhinoceros third. The time for the mile and one-third was 1:49 2-5.

McTinkle galloped home with the fourth race at Arlington, six furlongs for three-year-olds and up. Luxembourg beat out Oxford for the place. The time was 1:10 4-5, a new track record.

Phil Scott Slated For Opening Fight With Danish Champ

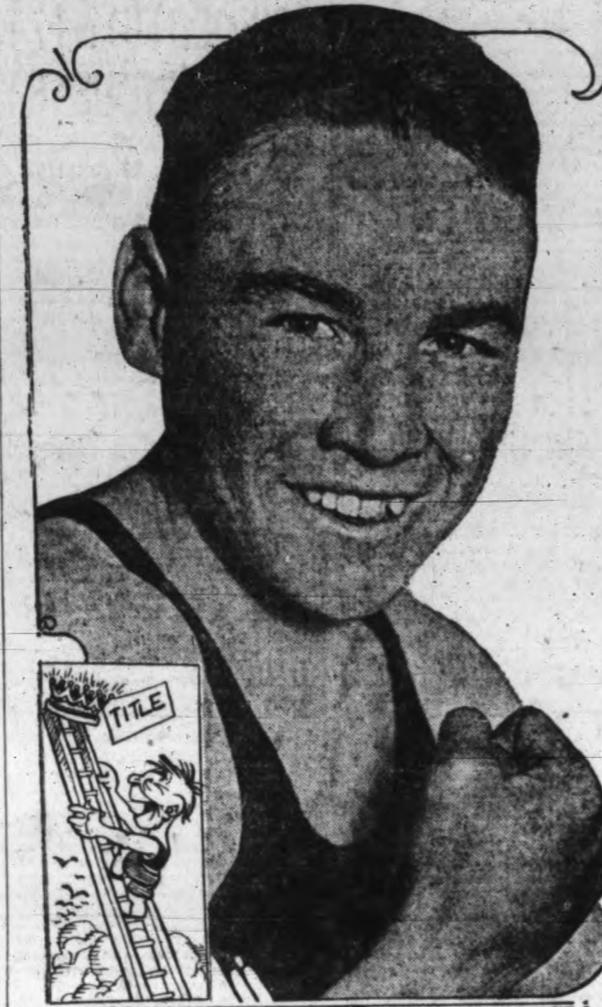
New York, Oct. 26.—Negotiations were under way yesterday to sign Knute Hansen, Danish heavyweight, for the first heavyweight test of Phil Scott, British champion, at Madison Square Garden, November 4. Paulino Uzcudun, originally scheduled to meet Scott, is ill and cannot keep the engagement. His hand, however, agreed to meet for a few rounds—but not that date. Hansen was expected to sign immediately. The bout was approved by the State Boxing Commission at its regular meeting to-day.

Baker Wins and Now Leading Contender

San Francisco, Oct. 26.—Sammy Baker, fighting soldier from New York, established himself more firmly as a contender for the featherweight title last night when he stopped Jimmy Duffy, flashy Oakland boxer, in the fifth round of their scheduled ten-round bout at San Francisco baseball park.

Baker weighed 147 1/4 and Duffy 147 3/4 pounds.

## SIGNS FOR THREE FIGHTS



JIMMY MCALPIN

## Edmonton Grads So Good They Use Subs And Hold Chicagoans

## World's Basketball Champions Play Great Game and Repulse Visitors

Edmonton, Oct. 26.—The Edmonton Commercial Grads basketball team swept through the Chicago Taylor-Trunks here yesterday and won 10 in the first period to 10 in the second, a record for the international basketball championship. The Grads were without the services of Gordon Fraser and Art Gagné in exchange for Duncan. The strange part of it is that Muldoon got away with the trade. Many fans will agree that an even trade of Duncan for Fraser would have given Chicago an edge but to have Gagné, a star, added to the team in the West End League, thrown in, was pretty good business for Muldoon, who turned around and sold Gagné to Canadians.

MULDOON BUYS TRADE

When the N.H.L. decided to respect the contract with the Patricks, Duncan had to go along to Chicago. Duncan, however, felt that he was a good man and made overtures to Pete Muldoon, manager of Chicago, for Duncan. Pete always struck a deal getting the best and last, and asked for Gordon Fraser and Art Gagné in exchange for Duncan. The strange part of it is that Muldoon got away with the trade. Many fans will agree that an even trade of Duncan for Fraser would have given Chicago an edge but to have Gagné, a star, added to the team in the West End League, thrown in, was pretty good business for Muldoon, who turned around and sold Gagné to Canadians.

GOES TO TORONTO

One of Adam's first moves was to let Duncan go to the Toronto Maple Leafs. Now Duncan has added another chapter to his career by balking at the contract offered by Toronto. In the old days a player balked at a new contract, the manager taking the manager in the end being forced to make concessions. Now, however, the managers have a lever to hold over the players and unless they sign up on their case is referred to President Calder, who renders a decision. Duncan has been ruled against by President Calder.

IF VARSITY AND NEW WESTMINSTER WIN

If Varsity and Vancouver both turn in victories their scheduled game November 5 will decide the league title. If Vancouver loses it is practically all over but the cheering, always provided that Varsity can defeat Victoria and then trim Vancouver and New Westminster. If both the league leaders lose, things would be rather muddled with any team having a fair even chance of coping the coveted silverware and a trip East.

Varsity are favorites here for the game. As yet they have not lost a game.

He who cheers last—has a bleacher seat.

## WITH THE BOWLERS

The Thundering Chiefs won the odd game from the Western Canada Radio in the Commercial Bowling League last night. The team, which won the high average with 515 pins and also secured individual honors with the fine score of 211.

On Friday the Five Roses will roll the Night Owl in a City League fixture.

Last night's scores were:

WESTERN CANADA RADIO

V. Irwin	187	147	165	499
J. Johnson	122	125	163	408
H. Vinal	127	128	126	350
A. Henry	134	163	297	494
W. Cannons	132	144	—	276
A. Porter	149	165	144	458
Totals	717	715	758	2190
THUNDERING CHIEFS				
J. Leetham	139	137	120	405
J. Mitchell	150	147	123	420
R. Holman	149	160	151	460
C. Kerr	150	149	148	421
W. Talbot	170	211	143	515
Totals	761	775	685	2221

## British Women's Golf Championship Opens May 14 at Hunston

Hunston, Norfolk, Eng., Oct. 26.—The British women's open golf championship of 1928 will be played here beginning May 14. It was announced here to-day.

Sammy Baker, fighting soldier from New York, established himself more firmly as a contender for the featherweight title last night when he stopped Jimmy Duffy, flashy Oakland boxer, in the fifth round of their scheduled ten-round bout at San Francisco baseball park.

Baker weighed 147 1/4 and Duffy 147 3/4 pounds.

HERMANN RESIGNS

Cincinnati, Oct. 26.—Giving poor health as his reason, August Hermann, for twenty-five years president of the Cincinnati National League baseball club, has resigned.

C. H. McDermid, secretary of the club, has been elected by the directors to succeed him.

## Art Duncan Is First Hold-out Suspended Under N.H.L. Ruling

## Former Manager of Detroit Balks at Contract Tendered Him by Toronto

## President Calder Considers Contract Fair; Barred Now Without Pay

Montreal, Oct. 26.—Art Duncan, for a time last season manager of the Detroit Cougars, but now the property of the Toronto Maple Leafs, in the National Hockey League, is the first player to be suspended by the league under the new rule governing players refusing to accept fair terms and failing to report to their respective clubs when ordered.

The ruling against Duncan was handed down to-day by President Frank Calder and, as a result, the former Western Canada star is barred from professional hockey without pay. The big defector, who is at present in Cleveland, Duncan, according to President Calder, was offered a fair contract by the Toronto club, but he refused to accept this and report.

Duncan is well-known in the City and the fact that he is holding out is nothing new to those who knew of the troubles Frank Patrick of Vancouver usually had in signing Duncan to his annual contract. Duncan was always among the last to sign for Vancouver and he finally boosted his requests so high that Frank Patrick let him pass along to Calgary, for whom he played one season.

When the big deal to send all the Western players to the National Hockey League was pending, Duncan tried to pull a smart play himself. Although awarded to Chicago he considered him self good enough to sign with Detroit as playing-manager. He proceeded at once to sign players. He got Henderson and Fredrickson and then picked up some amateurs.

## MULDOON BUYS TRADE

When the N.H.L. decided to respect the contract with the Patricks, Duncan had to go along to Chicago. Duncan, however, felt that he was a good man and made overtures to Pete Muldoon, manager of Chicago, for Duncan. Pete always struck a deal getting the best and last, and asked for Gordon Fraser and Art Gagné in exchange for Duncan. The strange part of it is that Muldoon got away with the trade. Many fans will agree that an even trade of Duncan for Fraser would have given Chicago an edge but to have Gagné, a star, added to the team in the West End League, thrown in, was pretty good business for Muldoon, who turned around and sold Gagné to Canadians.

GOES TO TORONTO

One of Adam's first moves was to let Duncan go to the Toronto Maple Leafs. Now Duncan has added another chapter to his career by balking at the contract offered by Toronto. In the old days a player balked at a new contract, the manager taking the manager in the end being forced to make concessions. Now, however, the managers have a lever to hold over the players and unless they sign up on their case is referred to President Calder, who renders a decision. Duncan has been ruled against by President Calder.

IF VARSITY AND NEW WESTMINSTER WIN

If Varsity and Vancouver both turn in victories their scheduled game November 5 will decide the league title. If Vancouver loses it is practically all over but the cheering, always provided that Varsity can defeat Victoria and then trim Vancouver and New Westminster. If both the league leaders lose, things would be rather muddled with any team having a fair even chance of coping the coveted silverware and a trip East.

Varsity are favorites here for the game. As yet they have not lost a game.

## McDUFFER

By BARRIE PAYNE



Don't forget Poppy Ball, Empress Hotel, November 10. \*\*\*

## LIKELY TO HEAD AMERICAN LEAGUE



After having been connected in various capacities with the Cleveland American League Club since 1903, Ernest S. Barnard is expected to be the new president of the American League, succeeding Ban Johnson, resigned.

Barnard was born in West Columbia, W. Va.,

## AT THE THEATRES

BILLIE DOVE IS  
STAR OF PICTURE  
AT THE PLAYHOUSE

Another star is introduced to the screen with "The Stolen Bride," the latest picture attraction at the Playhouse Theatre.

This is Billie Dove, whose splendid screen work in the past few months caused officials of First National Pictures to advance her to stardom. Ambitious plans for the beautiful actress have been outlined by executives.

"The Stolen Bride" is the first American picture to be directed by Alexander Korda. The story was written and produced by Carey Wilson.

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## Where To Go To-night

Capitol—"The Chinese Parrot."  
Columbia—"The Speeding Venus."  
Dominion—"When a Man Loves."  
Playhouse—"The Stolen Bride."  
Coliseum—Vaudeville.  
Crystal Garden—Swimming and  
Dancing.

These have been outlined by executives.  
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DOMINION FILM  
IS MAGNIFICENT  
SCREEN TRIUMPH

Magnificent indeed is the Warner special, "When a Man Loves," now at the Dominion. The direction is by Alan Crosland who was responsible for the splendors of "Don Juan" and the story is laid in the golden age of France depicting the fabulous riches and voluptuous poverty in the days of Louis XV.

It retells the well-known and passionately beautiful love story of Manon Lescaut and Fabien Des Grieux, two youths whose devotion had been to religion until their chance meeting, aroused within each, the fires of desire.

"When a Man Loves" is a production to acclaim from the house tops.

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—In—

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DOLORES COSTELLO

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TICKET RUSH STARTS  
ON PRESS CLUB BALL

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at Empress Hotel Friday

Night

The rush for tickets for the Press Club ball at the Empress Hotel Friday night started early to-day.

All plans are well in hand for the Hallowe'en party, for which it is planned to limit the number of guests to 500. The decorations will be striking and original, fitting in to the Hallowe'en scheme. The music will be of the best with Len Acre and his musicians playing the latest dance hits.

Professor Tickle and his Crystal Gar-

RUSIA'S POSITION

Turning his attention to Russia, the war-time British leader warned that when huge country emerged from her internal entanglements she will be the "most formidable country on earth."

He urged the international League of nations to bring Russia back to the fraternity of nations, admitting this was one of the risks of peace, "but not to be compared with the risk of leaving her out in the dark."

WAR THREAT

Mr. Lloyd George predicted the most terrible war in the world's history unless the nations made up their minds to seek justice and protection from established right and not from force.

NAVAL CONFERENCE

Alluding to the recent naval dis-

armament conference, he termed it an "incalculable calamity to the cause of peace and good will."

"If either Great Britain or the United States had a war between Great Britain and the United States is inconceivable that we would not, in my proposal so long as it reduces armaments, what would have happened?" asked the former Premier. "You would have substituted mutual trust for insular suspicion and pride between three of the greatest nations of the world. The three powers that would have been built even to the limit of the agreement arrived at between them. And what an example it would have afforded other powers who have been foremost in haggling about insignificant chips and shavings in their colossal armies."

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REVIEW — NEWS

M.G.M. WEEKLY

PANTOMIME WILL  
APPEAR AT ROYAL

"Aladdin," Story of Arabian

Nights, Will be Here Nov. 2

"Aladdin," the first English pantomime to visit Canada, brought here by All-Canada Tours, will be presented at the Royal Theatre for four days commencing Saturday, November 2 with Saturday Matinees.

Numerous inquiries received at the

theatre indicate that there is a wide-

spread misapprehension as to the real

nature of pantomime entertainment,

many impression that it is devoid of

spoken language or stage action.

The English pantomime of to-day

is remarkable for the number

and timeliness of its songs, and the

diverting nature of its dialogue, as

well as for the charm of constantly

changing scenes and costumes, while

displaying one of the strongest fea-

tures of the English pantomime is

the wit and originality of the

plots.

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# Wall Street TO-DAY

# NEW YORK STOCKS

## Last Minute News on Stocks and Financial Affairs

New York Stock Exchange  
Wednesday, October 26



New York, Oct. 26 (By B. C. Bond)—

Widney to-day says:

"Both the General Motors statement and the Steel statement were moderately better than expected. The General Motors statement to the extent of about eight per cent and the Steel to the extent of about five per cent.

"I believe Radio's statement, which should be public by the time you read this, will be the real surprise statement, disclosing second-quarter earnings practically double what the street has been led to expect.

"Gold Dust has performed as expected and is well launched on a renewed move which should carry to new highs. Fleischmann's is also well supported, technical basis passing through its solid top, another candidate for new record prices. I expect the issue to go on a \$4 basis at the next regular 75 cent dividend and 25 cents extra."

"U. S. Leather 'A' which came out of the recapitalization of the previously recommended Central Leather issues, could easily sell \$10 to \$12 above current prices on its earnings and the retirement of the company's bonds due in 1932.

"Orvis Corp.—Stocks in a strong technical position appear to be Lambert, Continental, and the like. Petromax, Alkali, General As-

ter, Cerve de Paco, Gander-Cleveland, and the like.

"Chicago, M. & St. P. Do., Ohio 211-4, 206, 210

"Do., Michigan 18-4, 11-2, 12-2

"Do., Northwestern 20-4, 8-9, 10-1

"Do., Ohio 103-3, 105-7

"Do., Texas 34-3, 31-4, 33-5

"Do., Motor 34-3, 31-4, 33-5

"Do., Canadian Pacific 122-7, 122-8

"Do., Fuel & Iron 85, 75-2, 78-2

"Do., Petroleum 75-2, 78-2

"Delaware Lack 78, 77, 78

"Consolidated Gas 113-4, 112-1, 112-4

"Continental Motors 108-5, 107-6

"Crucible Steel 82-1, 81, 81

"Crown 107-6, 107-7

"Do., 23-2, 24-2

"Do., 133-6

"Dodge Bros. 15-1, 14-2

"Do., 48-2, 49-2

"Dome Mines 10-4

"Dupont Powder 325, 318-8, 319-4

"Do., Kodak 63-3, 63-6, 64

"Eric R. Morris 37-5, 38-6

"Fleischmanns 65, 65

"Frenco-Texas 92-7, 90-9, 91-5

"Gabriel Snubbers 41-4, 42-5

"Galt Packing 45-2, 44, 44

"General Asphalt 87-6, 88-7

"General Cigars 129-4, 130-3, 130-3

"General Motors 133-4, 130-2, 131

"General Ry. Signals 128-4, 129-4

"General Rubber 33-5, 33-6

"Grandy Oreg. 23-4, 22-6

"Great Northern Ore 41-4, 42-5

"Great Northern Ry. 41-4, 42-5

"Gimbels 45-2, 44, 44

"Greene Cananca 37-6, 38-7

"H. P. B. 36-7, 36-7

"H. P. B. 36-7, 36

# The BLUE CAR MYSTERY

By NATALIE SUMMER LINCOLN

"Your suggestion was a wise one, Anna," she said graciously, as the maid paused at the other side of the small table. "Tell Parthena that she is delicious."

Anna straightened her cap, which had been disarranged by her vigorous shaking of the elderdown quilt before she folded it and placed it again on the foot of the couch.

"Mose done gone out," she announced, dropping her arms to her side. "He is a trifling man."

Mrs. Ruggles frowned when he returned and said to me, "she directed. "Mark, Anna, is that some one at the door?"

The maid darted across the room and opened the door leading into the main hallway and peered outside with some trepidation; her nerves were still on edge. The sound of voices came from the lower hall. As the words became audible with a distinctness of the speakers, Anna caught what was said, and shrank back. She was entirely out of sight when the coroner, Dr. Penfield, and his assistant, followed by Detective Barlow, reached the second floor and went immediately into Commodore Whitney's study and closed the door.

Anna emerged from her pose among the brooms in the maid's closet in time to encounter the man she had been expecting, as he mounted the staircase. "Mister Rudy, sah," she exclaimed, softly. "Your ma's in her room awaiting you, and Anna beat a quiet retreat to the rear room below."

Mrs. Ruggles turned as the door of her bedroom opened and her face lightened with relief.

"Rudolph, my dear boy, thank heaven you have come!" and springing up she embraced her son with unwonted fervor. "Let me help you with your overcoat."

"Nonsense, mother, don't trouble."

and young Ruggles gently pushed her back in her seat. It took but an instant to divest himself of his overcoat, which he laid neatly on the couch and then drew up a chair by his mother's side. "The news of the Commodore's death bowed me over—it's ghastly, mother. There, I didn't mean to make you cry."

"I can't help myself," gasped his mother. "Oh, Rudy, it's something dreadful." Mrs. Ruggles seldom used the

Mrs. Ruggles. "I had the servants and Commodore Whitney very considerably permitted me to have my son Rudolph, with me."

"Ah, when you reside in this house?" Barlow asked young Ruggles directly for the first time after shaking hands with him.

"Not now," responded the younger man. "I went back to mother's apartment when the Commodore returned." The detective considered mother and

son attentively before asking another question.

"I understand you to say in the library, Mrs. Ruggles, that you and Commodore Whitney were to be happy—so we were," she broke in excitedly. "We became engaged about a month ago, and the date set for our wedding was January eighth—a week from to-day." Mrs. Ruggles picked up her bottle of smelling salts which Anna had thoughtfully placed close at

hand, and sniffed it. "We were so happy—" she stopped, unable to go on.

"Then the Commodore was entirely happy—" began Barlow, but got no further.

Mrs. Ruggles regarded him with flushed cheeks and hostile eyes.

"Of course I am happy; who has dared to tell you otherwise?" she demanded breathlessly.

"No one," explained Barlow. "You must remember, Mrs. Ruggles, that where there is apparent crime, the

police have to consider the possibility of suicide." His smile was conciliatory but Mrs. Ruggles was blind to it.

"Suicide?" she stammered. "The thought is shocking."

"But not more so than murder," broke in young Ruggles. "I assure you, Mr. Barlow, that the Commodore Whitney was most lovable and generous to a fault; I cannot conceive a man of his temperament and nature having an enemy in the world."

"And yet he had, or he would be

alive to-day," commented Barlow dryly. "Where were you last night, Mrs. Ruggles?"

"In Baltimore," promptly. "I had gone over to do some shopping. The Commodore wanted to match some Kirk silver and I took over a sample trip as to give uncle and niece an opportunity to be together; they had not met for a number of years."

"Why was that?" demanded Barlow sharply.

"Because his niece, Harriet, was

expected from New York on the four o'clock train," explained Mrs. Ruggles.

"Frankly, I chose yesterday for my trip as to give uncle and niece an opportunity to be together; they had not met for a number of years."

"Why was that?" demanded Barlow sharply.

To be continued

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906, 6853, 6898, 7096.

## Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN  
BURT-SMITH—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on October 26, to the wife of John Burt-Smith, a daughter.

DONAGHY—To Mr. and Mrs. J. Donaghy, 2206 Bayard Avenue, on Oct. 25, a son, at the Jubilee Hospital.

DOUGLAS—At Hongkong, China, on Oct. 25, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Douglas, a son.

HUGHES—On Oct. 24, to Major and Mrs. L. M. Hughes of Quetta, India, a son.

WEILER—To Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Webster, 1724 Haultain Street, on Oct. 25, a son, at the Jubilee Hospital.

DIED

WEILER—At residence, 737 Transit Road, Oak Bay, on Oct. 25, 1927. Charles Weller, aged 70 years. Son of Mr. and Mrs. John Weller, aged 70 years, born California. The deceased had been a resident of Victoria since 1906, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927.

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ALL PERSONS other than PROPERTY OWNERS, who are entitled to have their names placed on the Municipal Voters' List MUST, during the current month, make the declarations required by the Municipal Elections Act.

Declarations can be made before the Municipal Clerk from whom forms may be obtained. For those unable to attend during office hours the Municipal Hall will be open on Saturday, October 29, from 2 p.m. till 5 p.m. No declaration can be made or accepted after 5 p.m. on Monday, October 31, 1927.

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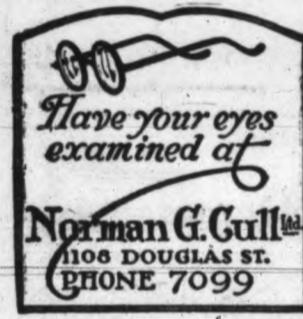
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CFCT (415.9) Victoria, B.C.  
4-5 p.m.—Orthophonic recital by courtesy of Cecil Heaton of Spencer's Music Department.  
5-6 p.m.—"What's doing in town."  
7:30 p.m.—West Coast information service and weather reports.  
8 p.m.—Studio presentation during which Josephine will sing.  
KFWI (897) San Francisco, Cal.  
5-5:30 p.m.—"Brunswick 'New Hall of Fame' concert."  
5:30-6 p.m.—Advance construction reports.  
6-6:45 p.m.—Violet Williams, soprano; Alice Wilma, violinist; Vivian Vaughan, acc.; Paul Harrison, tenor; Edgar L. Johnson, piano.  
9:30 p.m.—Pioneer Sunset Tunnel Boosters Ralph Club. Mayor Ralph dinner dance by remote control from Mark Hopkins Inn.  
9:55-10 p.m.—Police reports.  
10-11 p.m.—Valentino and his "Weird Jungle Jax" from Jungleland.  
KEX (1000) Portland, Ore.  
5:30-6 p.m.—"Our Country Flour."  
6:30-7 p.m.—Sports, stock reports.  
7-7:30 p.m.—Neapolitan concert trio.  
8 p.m.—Organ concert.  
9 p.m.—"Keweenaw." KFT (468.5) Los Angeles, Cal.  
5:30 p.m.—Sebastian's Cotton Club orchestra.  
6:15 p.m.—Dr. H. Edward Meyers.  
7:30 p.m.—Dare Sisters.  
7:30 p.m.—Nick Harris detective stories and talks.  
8 p.m.—Calpet concert orchestra.  
8:30 p.m.—N.B.C. programme.  
9:10 p.m.—Bill Worth programme featuring Anderson's Colored Harmonizers and Lillian Gibson.  
10-11 p.m.—Al Rocklin and his orchestra.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27  
CFCT (415.9) Victoria, B.C.  
8 a.m.—New York stock quotation from the B.C. Bond Corporation.

## Pender Island

Pender Island, Oct. 26.—Mrs. J. A. Brackett has been enjoying a holiday with relatives in Vancouver and New Westminster.

M. J. Little of Victoria was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Menzies last week.

E. Pollard has been a patient in hospital at Ganges since last Monday with a poisonated hand.

Edmund Cartmell of Port Washington, who has been a patient at Ganges for the past three months with a badly fractured thigh, is now convalescent and hopes to be home soon.

James Hamilton of the B.C. Coast Service is spending a holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Hamilton, at the "Knobs."

Capt. Alex. Brackett came home for a couple of days last week on his tug, the Joker B.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Scott of Port Washington are leaving shortly for a visit with relatives in England.

Miss Hampshire, who assisted Spencer Percival at Sunnyside Ranch two years ago, has returned from an extended trip abroad and, with her mother, will occupy the home of Mr. and Mrs. Scott during their absence.

Rev. and Mrs. MacNaughton, who have been taking charge of the United Church services on Fender and Salt Spring Islands during the past three weeks, expect to return to Victoria next month.

The Parent-Teacher Association met last Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Murphy. The president, Mrs. W. B. Johnston, occupied the chair, the meeting opening with the singing of "O Canada." The first hour was devoted to business, the second to the topic of the evening, and concluding with a social half-hour.

Mr. R. S. W. Corbett gave a much-appreciated talk on "The Cultivation of Trees in the Wildwood," followed by a friendly discussion of individual problems of this nature.

There was a good attendance, the secretary, Miss Noble, calling the roll, and also submitting the treasurer's report in the absence of Miss MacIntyre.

A community Hallowe'en masquerade social for old and young was being planned for next Monday evening. The training school library is being much used and appreciated by the pupils. A resolution was unanimously adopted favoring a "clean-up" of certain features of the comic sections of the daily newspapers which are considered deleterious to the moral and spiritual well-being of children. A copy of this will be sent to headquarters.

On invitation from Mr. and Mrs. Fry, the November meeting will be held at their home, the main feature being a debate on "Resolved That Corporal Punishment is Beneficial." Mrs. J. S. Stigings will handle the affirmative, while the negative will be in the hands of Mr. R. B. W. Corbett, and each will be ably supported.

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